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PHARMACEUTICAL DOSAGE FORMS  
CONTAINING ACTIVE CUSHIONING  
COMPONENTS

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 15, 2008**

Dear Sir:

This submission is in response to the Final Office Action mailed October 15, 2008 and is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and the requisite extension fees.

Please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments** to the Claims are provided in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks** begin at page 4 of this document.